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WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1824.

The following written message was received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Mosher, his Secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate for promotion and appointment in the Army of the United States, the officers, each for the station to which he is designated in the list herewith transmitted, for the advice and consent of the Senate.

JAMES MONROE.

WASHINGTON, *December 13th*, 1824.

WAR DEPARTMENT, *December 9th*, 1824.

SIR: I have the honor to lay before you the annexed list of promotions and appointments for the Army of the United States.

I have the honor to be,

Sir, with great respect,

Your obedient servant,

J. C. CALHOUN.

To the PRESIDENT of the United States.

PROMOTIONS AND APPOINTMENTS IN THE ARMY OF THE UNITED STATES.

Promotions.—Corps of Engineers.

1st Lt. George Blaney, to be Capt., 1st July, 1824, vice Lewis, resigned

1st Lt. William H. Chase, to be Captain, 1st January, 1825, vice Dumas, resigned.

2d Lt. Cornelius A. Ogden, to be 1st Lieut. 1st July, 1824, vice Blaney, promoted.

2d Lt. Henry Brewerton, 1st Lt., 1st January, 1825, vice Chase, prom'd.

Bvt. 2d Lt. Alfred Mordecai, to be 2d Lt. 1st July, 1823.

Bvt. 2d Lt. Dennis H. Mahan, to be 2d Lt., 1st July, 1824.

First Regiment of Artillery.

1st Lieut. Reynolds M. Kirby, Bvt. Capt. to be Capt., 5th August, 1824, vice E. Kirby, resigned.

2d Lieut. William H. Swift, to be 1st Lieut., 5th August, 1824, vice Kirby, promoted.

Bvt. 2d Lieut. John W. A. Smith, of the 2d Art'y., to be 2d Lieut. 1st July, 1824.

Bvt. 2d Lieut. John K. Findlay, of the 3d Art'y., to be 2d Lieut. 1st July, 1824.

Second Regiment of Artillery.

Bvt. 2d Lt. R. E. Hazzard, of the 4th Art'y., to be 2d Lt. 1st July, 1824.

Third Regiment of Artillery.

2d Lieut. William B. Davidson, to be 1st Lieut., 1st January, 1825, vice Thompson, resigned.

Bvt. 2d Lt. Robert P. Parrott, of the 1st Art'y., to be 2d Lt., 1st July, 1824.

Bvt. 2d Lt. Napoleon B. Bennett, 1st Art'y., to be 2d Lt. 1st July, 1824.

Fourth Regiment of Artillery.

Bvt. 2d Lt. William T. Washington, to be 2d Lieut., 19th August, 1823.

First Regiment of Infantry.

1st Lt. Ethan A. Hitchcock, to be Captain, 31st December, 1824, vice Powell, resigned.

2d Lt. Thomas P. Gwynne, to be 1st Lieut., 31st December, 1824, vice Hitchcock, promoted.

Bvt. 2d Lt. Ephraim W. Low, 3d Inf., to be 2d Lt., 1st July, 1824.

Bvt. 2d Lt. William L. Harris, 4th Inf., to be 2d Lt., 1st July, 1824.

Fifth Regiment of Infantry.

1st Lt. Nathan Clark, to be Capt., 29th June, 1824, vice Magee, deceased.

1st Lt. Thomas Hunt, to be Capt., 27th Sept. 1824, vice Marston, cashiered.

2d Lt. William E. Cruger, to be 1st Lieut., 29th June, 1824, vice Clark, promoted.

2d Lt. Phineas Andrews, to be 1st Lieut., 27th Sept., 1824, vice Hunt, promoted.

Bvt. 2d Lt. Anthony Drane, of the 7th Inf. to be 2d Lieut., 1st July, 1824.

Bvt. 2d Lt. Louis T. Jamison, to be 2d Lieut., 1st July, 1824.

Bvt. 2d Lt. Alexander Johnston, to be 2d Lieut., 1st July, 1824.

Seventh Regiment of Infantry.

1st Lieut. Nathaniel G. Wilkinson, to be Captain, 31st July, 1824, vice Murdock, resigned.

1st Lieut. Richard Wash, to be Captain, 24th Sept., 1824, vice Leftwich, deceased.

2d Lieut. Alexander H. Morton, 1st Lieut., 31st July, 1824, vice Wilkinson, promoted.

2d Lt. Francis Lee, to be 1st Lt., 24th Sept., 1824, vice Wash, promoted.

Bvt. 2d Lt. William Bickley, of the 6th Inf., to be 2d Lt., 1st July, 1824.

Bvt. 2d Lt. Joseph Cadle, to be 2d Lt. 1st July, 1824.

John Fowle, Jun., Captain 5th regiment Infantry, 10th June, 1814, to be Major, by brevet, to rank from 10th June, 1824, for 10 years' faithful service in same grade.

John Green, Captain 3d regiment Infantry, 25th September, 1814, to be Major, by brevet, to rank from 25th September, 1824, for 10 years' faithful service in same grade.

Newman S. Clark, Captain 2d regiment Infantry, 1st October, 1814, to be Major, by brevet, to rank from 1st October, 1824, for 10 years' faithful service in same grade.

John R. Bell, Captain 4th regiment Artillery, 10th October, 1814, to be Major, by brevet, to rank from 10th October, 1824, for 10 years' faithful service in same grade.

Mann P. Lomax, Captain 3d regiment of Artillery, 17th November, 1814, to be Major, by brevet, to rank from 17th November, 1824, for 10 years' faithful service in same grade.

James Young, 1st Lieut. 2d regiment Infantry, 30th June, 1814, to be Captain, by brevet, to rank from 30th June, 1824, for 10 years' faithful service in same grade.

Walter Bicker, jr. 1st Lieut. 2d regiment Infantry, 1st September, 1814, to be Captain, by brevet, to rank from 1st September, 1824, for 10 years' faithful service in same grade.

John J. Abert, Topographical Engineers, to be Lieut. Colonel by brevet, from 22d November, 1824, having served as a brevet Major, and performed the appropriate duties of that grade, for 10 years continuously.

Callender Irvine, Commissary General of Purchases, term of service expires 3d March, 1825.

Benjamin F. Larned, Paymaster, term of service expires 3d March, 1825.

A. A. Massias, Paymaster, term of service expires 12th December, 1824.

APPOINTMENTS.

Jeremiah D. Hayden, late Capt. Artillery, to be Paymaster, 1st July, 1824.

Edmund Kirby, late Capt. Artillery, to be Paymaster, 5th August, 1824.

John W. Baylor, Ky. to be Assistant Surgeon, 8th July, 1824.

John Torrey, N. Y. to be Assistant Surgeon, 5th August, 1824.

Philip G. Randolph, Va. to be Assistant Surgeon, 8th October, 1824.

Hamilton S. Hawkins, of Md. Assistant Surgeon, 22d November, 1824.

Cadet Dennis H. Mahan, to be bvt. 2d Lt. Corps of Engineers, 1st July, 1824.

Cadet Robert P. Parrott, to be bvt. 2d Lt. 1st reg. Artillery, 1st July, 1824.

Cadet George W. Long, to be bvt. 2d Lt. do 1st July, 1824.

Cadet John M. Fessenden, to be bvt. 2d Lt. do 1st July, 1824.

Cadet John W. A. Smith, to be bvt. 2d Lt. 2d reg. Artillery, 1st July, 1824.

Cadet John M. Picton, to be bvt. 2 Lt. do 1st July, 1824.

Cadet Horatio A. Wilson, to be bvt. 2d Lt. do 1st July, 1824.

Cadet John K. Findley, to be bvt. 2d Lt. 3d reg. Artillery, 1st July, 1824.

Cadet Napoleon B. Bennet, to be bvt. 2d Lt. do 1st July, 1824.

Cadet William P. Bainbridge to be bvt. 2d Lt. do 1st July, 1824.

Cadet R. E. Hazzard, to be bvt. 2d Lt. 4th reg. Artillery, 1st July, 1824.

Cadet John N. Dillahunt, to be bvt. 2d Lt. do 1st July, 1824.

Cadet Francis L. Jones, to be bvt. 2d Lt. do 1st July, 1824.

Cadet William Bloodgood, to be bvt. 2d Lt. 1st reg. Infantry, 1st July, 1824.

Cadet Jos. Van Swearingen, to be bvt. 2d Lt. do 1st July, 1824.

Cadet Francis D. Newcomb, to be bvt. 2d Lt. 2d reg. Infantry, 1st July, 1824.

Cadet Electus Backus, to be bvt. 2d Lt. do 1st July, 1824.

Cadet Ephraim W. Low, to be bvt. 2d Lt. 3d reg. Infantry, 1st July, 1824.

Cadet Timothy Page, to be bvt. 2d Lt. do 1st July, 1824.

Cadet William L. Harris, to be bvt. 2d Lt. 4th reg. Infantry, 1st July, 1824.

Cadet Dixon S. Miles, to be bvt. 2d Lt. do 1st July, 1824.

Cadet Lewis T. Jamison, to be bvt. 2d Lt. 5th reg. Infantry, 1st July, 1824.

Cadet Alexander Johnson, to be bvt. 2d Lt. do 1st July, 1824.

Cadet William B. Thompson, to be bvt. 2d Lt. do 1st July, 1824.

Cadet William Bickley, to be bvt. 2d Lt. 6th reg. Infantry, 1st July, 1824.

Cadet William W. Eaton, to be bvt. 2d Lt. do 1st July, 1824.

Cadet Nicholas Tillinghast, to be 2d Lt. 7th reg. Infantry, 1st July, 1824.

Cadet William G. Williams, to be 2d Lt. do 1st July, 1824.

Cadet Anthony Drane, to be bvt. 2d Lt. 7th reg. Infantry, 1st July, 1824.
 Cadet Joseph Cadle, to be bvt. 2d Lt. do 1st July, 1824.
 Cadet Julius Catlin, to be bvt. 2d Lt. do 1st July, 1824.
 John Thurston, N. H. Assistant Surgeon.

The message was read.

Ordered, That it be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs, to consider and report thereon.

The following written message was received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Mosher, his Secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I transmit to the Senate, for its advice and consent as to the ratification, the treaties, concluded and signed on the fourth day of August last, between the United States and the Ioway, the Sock, and Fox tribes of Indians.

JAMES MONROE.

WASHINGTON, *December 13th*, 1824.

The message, and treaties therein referred to, were read.

Ordered, That they be referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs, to consider and report thereon; and that they be printed, under an injunction of secrecy.

The following written message was received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Mosher, his Secretary:

The President of the Senate, pro tempore:

I transmit to the Senate, a convention, negotiated and signed by Samuel D. Heap, Acting Consul of the United States, on the part of the United States, and Mahmoud Bashaw, Bey of Tunis, on the 24th day of February last; together with copies of Mr. Heap's correspondence, appertaining to the negotiation of the same, for the Constitutional consideration of the Senate, with regard to its ratification.

JAMES MONROE.

WASHINGTON, *December 13th*, 1824.

The message, treaty, and documents, were read.

Ordered, That they be referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations, to consider and report thereon; and that the treaty be printed, under an injunction of secrecy.

The following written message was received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Mosher, his Secretary:

To the President of the Senate of the United States, pro tempore:

I transmit to the Senate, the convention, signed by the Plenipotentiaries of the United States, and of H. I. M. the Emperor of Russia, at St. Petersburg, on the 5th (17th) of April last, referred to in my message to both Houses of Congress, together with the documents appertaining to the negotiation of the same, for the Constitutional consideration of the Senate, with regard to its ratification.

JAMES MONROE.

WASHINGTON, *December 13th*, 1824.

The message, convention, and documents, were read.

Ordered, That they be referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations, to consider and report thereon, and be printed under an injunction of secrecy.

On motion by Mr. Holmes, of Maine,

Ordered, That the original statements, relating to the nomination of Joseph F. Wingate, transmitted by the Comptroller of the Treasury, be returned.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1824.

The following written message was received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Everett, his Secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the following named persons, now passed Midshipmen, to be promoted to the rank of Lieutenant in the Navy of the United States, in the order in which they stand.

D. H. Mackey, G. W. Carpenter, J. L. Saunders, J. B. Hull, Jun., Jott S. Paine, John E. Prentiss, Joseph Moorhead, Samuel B. Phelps, William T. Rodgers, Thomas Pettigru, Augustus Cutts, John S. Chauncey, Irvine Shubrick, Charles Ellery, Thomas R. Gerry, John Kelly, Hugh Dulany, Edmund Byrne, Edward S. Johnson, William H. Gardner, Frederick Jarrett, David G. Farragut, R. S. Pinkney, Stephen B. Wilson, Edward C. Rutledge, William S. Harris, Thomas Dornin, Benjamin S. Grimke, John P. Tuttle, Robert B. Cunningham, James Glynn, Joseph Myers, William C. Wetmore, William B. Nicholson, Thomas R. Gedney, John Bubier, Victor M. Randolph, Joseph Cutts, Jun., Jacob Crowninshield, Frederick Engle, Thomas S. Brown, Alexander J. D. Brown, Jesse Smith, John H. Smith, Merrit S. Scott, Francis Sanderson, John Rudd, Robert Ritchie, David R. Stewart, William W. McKean, Benjamin Tallmadge, Jun., Franklin Buchanan, H. H. Hobbs, Samuel Mercer, Charles Lowndes, Duncan N. Ingraham, John Marston, Jun., Henry Bruce, William D. Newman, A. B. Pinkham, William H. Homer, James D. Knight, Joseph Mattison, William S. Walker, Alexander Slidell, James S. Boughan, George F. Pearson.

JAMES MONROE.

The message was read.

Ordered, That it be referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs, to consider and report thereon; and that the document accompanying it be printed, under an injunction of secrecy.

The two following written messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Everett, his Secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Joseph Miller, of Michigan Territory, to be a member of the Legislative Council, in said Territory, in place of William H. Puthuff, deceased.

JAMES MONROE.

WASHINGTON, December 13th, 1824.

The President of the Senate, pro tempore:

I nominate to the Senate, William Trimble, of Arkansas, to be Judge in the said Territory, in the place of Joseph Selden, deceased; and likewise Benjamin Johnson, of said Territory, to be Judge of the same, from the 24th of January next, his present commission being in force till the 23d day of that month, inclusively.

JAMES MONROE.

WASHINGTON, December 13th, 1824.

The messages were severally read.

Ordered, That they lie for consideration.

Mr. Holmes, of Maine, submitted the following motion for consideration:

Resolved, That the injunction of secrecy be removed from the proceedings in the nominations to the Senate of Benjamin Ames and Joseph F. Wingate; and that the parties interested in the evidence in those cases may have copies thereof.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 21, 1824.

The three following written messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Everett, his Secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate William Bainbridge, a Captain in the Navy of the United States, to be a member of the Board of Commissioners for the Navy, in the place of Captain John Rodgers, resigned.

JAMES MONROE.

WASHINGTON, *December 15th*, 1824.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Isaac Burdick, Naval Officer for the port of Newport, Rhode Island.

Also, William Pinkney, Collector of the Customs for the district, and Inspector of the Revenue for the port of Key West, Thompson's Island.

Also, Hercules Cushman, Inspector of the Revenue for the port of Dighton.

Also, William Jones, Naval Officer for the port of Philadelphia.

Also, James Miller, Collector of the Customs for the district of Salem and Beverly.

Also, Bernard Pratte, Receiver of Public Moneys for the district of St. Louis.

All of whom were appointed during the recess.

JAMES MONROE.

WASHINGTON, *December 21st*, 1824.

To the Senate of the United States:

I renominate Joshua Taylor, Collector of the Customs for the district, and Inspector of the Revenue for the port of Ocracoke, North Carolina.

I also renominate William P. Custis, Collector of the Customs for the district, and Inspector of the Revenue for the port of Folly Landing, Va.

I also renominate John N. McIntosh, Collector of the Customs for the district of Brunswick, and Inspector of the Revenue for the port of Darien, Georgia.

I also renominate James Owen, Collector of the Customs for the district of Wilmington, North Carolina.

I also renominate James Prince, Collector of the Customs for Newburyport.

I also renominate Zabdiel Sampson, Collector of the Customs for the district, and Inspector of the Revenue for the port of Plymouth, Massachusetts.

I also renominate William Lee D. Ewing, Receiver of Public Moneys for the district of Vandalia, Illinois.

JAMES MONROE.

WASHINGTON, *December 21st*, 1824.

The messages were severally read.

On motion,

Ordered, That the nominations of Isaac Burdick, William Pinkney, Hercules Cushman, William Jones, James Miller, Joshua Taylor, William P. Custis, John N. M^rIntosh, James Owen, James Prince, and Zabdiel Sampson, be severally referred to the Committee on Commerce and Manufactures, to consider and report thereon.

Ordered, That the nomination of William Lee D. Ewing be referred to the Committee on Public Lands, to consider and report thereon.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of Joseph Miller, contained in the message of the 16th instant; and

Resolved, That they do advise and consent to the appointment, agreeably to the nomination.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nominations of William Trimble and Benjamin Johnson, contained in the message of the 16th instant; and

Resolved, That they do advise and consent to the appointments, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

The Senate proceeded to consider the motion, of the 16th instant, relative to the proceedings on the nominations of Benjamin Ames and Joseph F. Wingate; and

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 23, 1824.

The Senate proceeded to consider the message of the 21st instant, nominating William Bainbridge to office; and

Resolved, That they do advise and consent to the appointment, agreeably to the nomination.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of Bernard Pratte, contained in the message of the 21st instant; and

Resolved, That they do advise and consent to the appointment, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. Noble submitted the following motion for consideration:

Resolved, That the injunction of secrecy be taken off from the nomination of Ninian Edwards, of Illinois, to be Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to the Republic of Mexico, made by the President of the United States to the Senate, on the 18th of February last, and all proceedings thereon that appear upon the Executive record.

Mr. Jackson, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom were referred, on the 15th December, the nominations to promotions and appointments in the Army, reported. Whereupon,

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the promotions and appointments in the Army, contained in the message of the President of the United States, of the 15th instant, agreeably to the nominations respectively.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 28, 1824.

Mr. Ruggles presented the memorial of Alexander Scott, praying that he may be furnished with an authenticated extract from the Executive Journal of the Senate, relating to his nomination in the year 1816, to be used as evidence in a suit now pending before the Circuit Court of the District of Columbia. The memorial was read; and,

On motion,

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Barbour, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom was referred, on the 15th instant, the convention with Russia, reported it without amendment.

The said convention was read the second time, and considered as in Committee of the Whole; and no amendment having been made thereto, it was reported to the Senate.

On motion,

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

The following written messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Mosher, his Secretary :

To the Senate of the United States :

Commissions having been granted during the recess of the Senate, to the following persons, I now nominate them to the same offices, as respectively annexed to their names.

George R. Robertson, of New York, to be Consul of the United States for the port of Tampico, in Mexico, in place of Nathaniel G. Ingraham, junior, deceased.

William Wheelwright, of Massachusetts, to be Consul of the United States for the port of Guyaquil in Colombia.

Tobias Watkins, of Maryland, to be Fourth Auditor in the Treasury Department, in place of William P. Van Ness, having declined acceptance.

William McRee, of North Carolina, to be Surveyor of Public Lands in the State of Illinois and Missouri, and the Territory of Arkansas, in place of William Rector, removed.

John R. Thomson, of Pennsylvania, to be Consul of the United States for the port of Canton, in China, in place of Richard R. Thomson, deceased.

Samuel Moore, of Pennsylvania, to be Director of the Mint of the United States, in place of Robert Patterson, resigned.

John Shillaber, of Massachusetts, to be Consul of the United States for the port of Batavia, in the island of Java, in the place of Abraham E. Soesman.

Abraham B. Nones, of Virginia, to be Consul of the United States for the port of Maracaybo, in the Republic of Colombia, in place of John M. Macpherson, resigned.

William Clark, of Missouri, to be Commissioner to treat with the Sock, Fox, and Ioway tribes of Indians.

John Pitman, of Rhode Island, to be Judge of the United States for the Rhode Island district.

William Henry Allen, of Maryland, to be Commissioner for ascertaining claims and titles to land in Florida.

Dutee J. Pearce, of Rhode Island, to be Attorney of the United States for the district of Rhode Island, in place of John Pitman, appointed Judge.

Burrington Anthony, of Rhode Island, to be Marshal of the United States for the district of Rhode Island, in place of Ebenezer K. Dexter, deceased.

Augustus B. Woodward, of Florida, to be Judge of the United States for that part of the Territory of Florida situated between the Apalachicola and Suwannee rivers, in place of William W. Blair, deceased.

Elias Glenn, of Maryland, to be Judge of the United States for the district of Maryland, in place of Theodorick Bland, resigned.

Nathaniel Williams, of Maryland, to be Attorney of the United States for the district of Maryland, in place of Elias Glenn, appointed Judge.

Theodore Hunt, of Missouri, to be Recorder of Land Titles in the State of Missouri.

William Simmons, of Florida, to be one of the members of the Legislative Council in Florida, in place of James Gadsden, resigned.

JAMES MONROE.

WASHINGTON, *December 16th*, 1824.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Nathaniel Cox, of New Orleans, to be Navy Agent for the port of New Orleans, in the place of Joseph H. Hawkins, deceased.

JAMES MONROE.

WASHINGTON, *December 23d*, 1824.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Jacob Jones, a Captain in the Navy of the United States, to be a member of the Board of Commissioners for the Navy, in the place of Captain Isaac Chauncey, resigned.

JAMES MONROE.

WASHINGTON, *December 21st*, 1824.

The messages were severally read.

Ordered, That they lie for consideration.

Mr. Dickerson, from the Committee on Commerce and Manufactures, to whom were referred, on the 21st December, the nominations of Isaac Burdick, William Pinkney, Hercules Cushman, William Jones, and James Miller, reported. Whereupon,

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointments of Isaac Burdick, William Pinkney, Hercules Cushman, and William Jones, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

Ordered, That the nomination of James Miller lie on the table.

MONDAY, JANUARY 3, 1825.

The following written message was received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Mosher, his Secretary:

To the President of the Senate, pro tempore:

I nominate to the Senate the following persons, whose appointments are about to expire:

Ether Shepley, of Maine, to be Attorney of the United States for the district of Maine, for four years from the 7th of February next.

George Blake, of Massachusetts, to be Attorney of the United States for the district of Massachusetts, for four years from the 26th January next.

William A. Griswold, of Vermont, to be Attorney of the United States for the district of Vermont, for four years from the 3d of March next.

Hezekiah Huntington, of Connecticut, to be Attorney of the United States for the district of Connecticut, for four years from the 17th January next.

Alexander Brackenridge, of Pennsylvania, to be Attorney of the United States for the Western district of Pennsylvania, for four years from the 3d March next.

John Gadsden, of South Carolina, to be Attorney of the United States for the district of South Carolina, for four years from the 7th of February next.

John W. Smith, of Louisiana, to be Attorney of the United States for the district of Louisiana, for four years from the 4th of January next.

Prior Lea, of Tennessee, to be Attorney of the United States for the Eastern district of Tennessee, for four years from the 3d March next.

Samuel C. Roane, of Arkansas, to be Attorney of the United States for the Arkansas Territory, for four years from the 7th February next.

Thomas Swann, of the District of Columbia, to be Attorney of the United States for the District of Columbia, for four years from the 23d January next.

Samuel D. Harris, of Massachusetts, to be Marshal of the United States for the district of Massachusetts, for four years from the 2d March next.

John W. Livingston, of New York, to be Marshal of the United States for the Northern district of New York, for four years from the 19th February next.

Thomas Morris, of New York, to be Marshal of the United States for the Southern district of New York, for four years from the 21st January next.

Charles T. Porter, of Tennessee, to be Marshal of the United States for the Eastern district of Tennessee, for four years from the 12th February next.

John Vawter, of Indiana, to be Marshal of the United States for the district of Indiana, for four years from the 6th March next.

George W. Scott, of Arkansas, to be Marshal of the United States for the Arkansas Territory, for four years from the 7th February next

JAMES MONROE.

WASHINGTON, *December 28th*, 1824.

The message was read.

Ordered, That the nominations therein contained, be referred to the Committee on the Judiciary, to consider and report thereon.

The three following written messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Mosher, his Secretary:

To the President of the Senate, pro tempore:

I nominate to the Senate, Philip Richard Fendall, of Alexandria, as Judge of the Orphans' Court for the County of Alexandria, in the District of Columbia, in the place of Robert Young, deceased.

JAMES MONROE.

WASHINGTON, *December 29th*, 1824.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate John R. Fox, as Collector of the Customs at Yorktown, Virginia.

Also, John H. Norton, to be Marshal for the district of Mississippi.

Also, George Hudson, to be Collector of the Customs at Snow Hill, Maryland.

JAMES MONROE.

WASHINGTON, *January 3d*, 1825.

The President of the Senate, pro tempore:

I nominate to the Senate, James W. McGoffin, of Kentucky, to be Consul of the United States at Acapulco, in Mexico, in place of William Steele, deceased.

JAMES MONROE

WASHINGTON, *December 29th*, 1824.

The messages were severally read.

Ordered, That they lie for consideration.

The Senate proceeded to consider the motion of the 23d December, relative to the proceedings on the nomination of Ninian Edwards; and

Ordered, That the further consideration thereof be postponed to the 3d Monday in February next.

On motion,

It was agreed, by unanimous consent, to consider the nomination of John H. Norton, contained in the message of this day; and

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointment, agreeably to the nomination.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of James Miller, contained in the message of 21st December; and

Resolved, That they do advise and consent to the appointment of James Miller agreeably to the nomination.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the convention with Russia; and

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

Mr. Barbour submitted the following motion for consideration:

Resolved, (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring therein,) that the Senate do advise and consent to the ratification of the convention, made and concluded at St. Petersburg, on the 5th (17th) of April, in the year 1824, between the United States and His Imperial Majesty, the Emperor of Russia.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nominations of Tobias Watkins, Samuel Moore, John Shillaber, William Clark, John Pitman, Dutee J. Pearce, Burrington Anthony, Elias Glenn, Nathaniel Williams, and Theodore Hunt, contained in the message of 28th December; and

Resolved, That they do advise and consent to the appointments, agreeably to the nominations respectively.

On motion,

Ordered, That the nominations of George R. Robertson, William Wheelwright, John R. Thomson, and Abraham B. Nones, contained in the message of the 28th December, be severally referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations, to consider and report thereon.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of William McRee, contained in the message of the 28th December; and

Ordered, That the further consideration thereof be postponed to Monday next.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of William Henry Allen, contained in the message of the 28th December; and

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nominations of Augustus B. Woodward, and William Simmons, and

Ordered, That they be severally referred to the Committee on the Judiciary, to consider and report thereon.

The Senate proceeded to consider the message of the 28th December, nominating Nathaniel Cox to office; and

Resolved, That they do advise and consent to the appointment, agreeably to the nomination.

The Senate proceeded to consider the message of 28th December, nominating Jacob Jones to office; and

Resolved, That they do advise and consent to the appointment, agreeably to the nomination.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 5, 1825.

The convention with Russia was read a third time; and,
On the question to agree to the resolution for the ratification thereof;

It was determined in the affirmative: Yeas, 41; Nay, 1.

Those who voted in the affirmative, are—Messrs. Barbour, Bell, Benton, Boulogny, Branch, Brown, Chandler, Clayton, Cobb, Dickerson, Eaton, Edwards, Elliott, Gaillard, Hayne, Holmes, of Maine, Holmes, of Mississippi, Jackson, Johnson, of Kentucky, Johnston, of Louisiana, King, of Alabama, King, of New York, Lanman, Lloyd, of Maryland, Lloyd, of Massachusetts, Lowrie, McIlvaine, McLane, Macon, Mills, Noble, Palmer, Parrott, Ruggles, Seymour, Smith, Talbot, Tazewell, Thomas, Van Buren, and Williams.

Mr. D'Wolf voted in the negative.

So it was

Resolved, (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring therein,) That the Senate do advise and consent to the ratification of the convention, made and concluded at St. Petersburg, on the 5th (17th) of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and twenty-four, between the United States and H. I. M. the Emperor of Russia.

Ordered, That the Secretary lay this resolution before the President of the United States.

On motion,

Ordered, That the message of the President, of the 3d instant, nominating Philip Richard Fendall to office, be referred to the Committee on the District of Columbia, to consider and report thereon.

Mr. Lloyd, of Massachusetts, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom was referred, on the 16th ultimo, the message of the President nominating Lieutenants in the Navy, reported.

On motion,

Ordered, That the nominations of John R. Fox and George Hudson, be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Manufactures, to consider and report thereon.

MONDAY, JANUARY 10, 1825.

The following written message was received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Mosher, his Secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I renominate Nicholas Biddle, and Manuel Eyre, of Pennsylvania; E. J. Dupont, of Delaware; and Henry Eckford, of New York; and I nominate William Patterson, of Maryland, in the place of John McKim, to be Directors of the Bank of the United States.

I renominate Jonathan Thompson, of the State of New York, to be Collector for the port of New York.

I renominate Thomas Carter, to be Naval Officer for the port of Newburyport, in the State of Massachusetts.

JAMES MONROE.

January 10th, 1825.

The message was read, and considered by unanimous consent.

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointments of Nicholas Biddle, Manuel Eyre, E. J. Dupont, Henry Eckford, and William Patterson, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

Ordered, That the nominations of Jonathan Thompson, and Thomas Carter, be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Manufactures, to consider and report thereon.

Mr. Barbour, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom were referred the nominations of George R. Robertson, William Wheelwright, John R. Thomson, and Abraham B. Nones, contained in the message of the 28th December, reported. Whereupon,

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointments of George R. Robertson, William Wheelwright, John R. Thomson, and Abraham B. Nones, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

Mr. Barbour, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom was referred, on the 15th December, the convention with the Bey of Tunis, reported it without amendment.

The said convention was read the second time, and considered as in Committee of the Whole; and, no amendment having been made thereto, it was reported to the Senate.

On motion,

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the nomination of William McRee, contained in the message of the 28th December; and

Resolved, That they do advise and consent to the appointment, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. Benton, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred, on the 15th December, the treaty with the Ioway tribe of Indians, reported it without amendment.

The said treaty was read the second time, and considered as in Committee of the Whole; and no amendment having been made thereto, it was reported to the Senate.

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

Mr. Benton, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred, on the 15th December, the treaty with the Sock and Fox Indians, reported it without amendment.

The said treaty was read the second time, and considered as in Committee of the Whole; and no amendment having been made thereto, it was reported to the Senate; and

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The Senate proceeded to consider the message, of the 3d instant, nominating James W. McGoffin to office; and

Resolved, That they do advise and consent to the appointment, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. Dickerson, from the Committee on Commerce and Manufactures, to whom was referred, on the 5th instant, the nomination of John R. Fox, reported. Whereupon,

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointment of John R. Fox, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. Dickerson, from the Committee on Commerce and Manufactures, to whom were referred, on the 21st December, the nominations of Joshua Taylor, William P. Custis, John N. McIntosh, James Owen, James Prince, and Zabdiel Sampson, reported. Whereupon,

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointments, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

Mr. Van Buren, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred, on the 3d instant, the nominations of William Simmons, Ether Shepley, George Blake, William A. Griswold, Hezekiah Huntington, Alexander Brackenridge, John Gadsden, John W. Smith, Prior Lea, Samuel C. Roane, and Thomas Swann, reported. Whereupon,

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointments, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

Mr. Barbour, from the Committee, on the District of Columbia, to whom was referred, on the 3d instant, the message nominating Philip Richard Fendall to office, reported. Whereupon,

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointment of Philip Richard Fendall, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. Benton submitted the following motions for consideration:

Resolved, (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring therein,) That the Senate do advise and consent to the ratification of the treaty, made and concluded at the City of Washington, on the 4th day of August, one thousand eight hundred and twenty-four, between the United States and the Ioway tribe of Indians.

Resolved, (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring therein,) That the Senate do advise and consent to the ratification of the treaty, made and concluded at the City of Washington, on the 4th day of August, one thousand eight hundred and twenty-four, between the United States and the Sock and Fox tribes of Indians.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 13, 1825.

Mr. Barbour submitted the following motion, which was read, and agreed to:

Resolved, That the President be requested to cause the instructions to Mr. Rush, and his correspondence on the various topics of discussion between the United States and Great Britain, to be laid before the Senate, in confidence.

On motion,

The Senate resumed the consideration of the convention with the Bey of Tunis; and

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading. Whereupon,

Mr. Barbour submitted the following motion for consideration:

Resolved, (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring therein,) That the Senate do advise and consent to the ratification of the convention, made and concluded at the palace of Bardo, near Tunis, on the 24th day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and twenty-four, between the United States and the Bey of Tunis.

The convention was read a third time, by unanimous consent; and,

On the question to agree to the resolution for ratifying the same:

It was determined in the affirmative: Yeas, 45.

Those who voted, are—Messrs. Barbour, Barton, Bell, Benton, Boulogny, Branch, Brown, Chandler, Clayton, Cobb, D'Wolf, Dickerson, Eaton, Edwards, Elliott, Findlay, Gaillard, Hayne, Holmes, of Maine, Holmes, of Mississippi, Jackson, Johnson, of Kentucky, Johnston, of Louisiana, Kelly, King, of New York, Knight, Lanman, Lloyd, of Maryland, Lloyd, of Massachusetts, Lowrie, McIlvaine, McLean, Macon, Mills, Palmer, Parrott,

Ruggles, Seymour, Smith, Talbot, Taylor, Tazewell, Thomas, Van Buren, and Van Dyke.

So it was

Resolved, (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring therein,) That the Senate do advise and consent to the ratification of the convention, made and concluded at the palace of Bardo, near Tunis, on the 24th day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and twenty-four, between the United States and the Bey of Tunis.

Ordered, That the Secretary lay this resolution before the President of the United States.

The treaty with the Ioway tribe of Indians was read a third time.

On the question to agree to the resolution for ratifying the same,

It was determined in the affirmative: Yeas, 47.

Those who voted, are—Messrs. Barbour, Barton, Bell, Benton, Boulogny, Branch, Brown, Chandler, Clayton, Cobb, D'Wolf, Dickerson, Eaton, Edwards, Elliott, Findlay, Gaillard, Hayne, Holmes, of Maine, Holmes, of Mississippi, Jackson, Johnson, of Kentucky, Johnston, of Louisiana, Kelly, King, of Alabama, King, of New York, Knight, Lanman, Lloyd, of Maryland, Lloyd, of Massachusetts, Lowrie, McIlvaine, McLean, Macon, Mills, Noble, Palmer, Parrott, Seymour, Smith, Talbot, Taylor, Tazewell, Thomas, Van Buren, Van Dyke, and Williams.

So it was

Resolved, (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring therein,) That the Senate do advise and consent to the ratification of the treaty, made and concluded at the City of Washington, on the fourth day of August, one thousand eight hundred and twenty-four, between the United States and the Ioway tribe of Indians.

Ordered, That the Secretary lay this resolution before the President of the United States.

The treaty with the Sock and Fox tribes of Indians, was read a third time.

On the question to agree to the resolution for ratifying the same;

It was determined in the affirmative: Yeas, 45.

Those who voted, are—Messrs. Barbour, Barton, Bell, Benton, Boulogny, Branch, Brown, Chandler, Clayton, Cobb, Dickerson, Eaton, Edwards, Elliott, Findlay, Gaillard, Hayne, Holmes, of Maine, Holmes, of Mississippi, Jackson, Johnson, of Kentucky, Johnston, of Louisiana, Kelly, King, of Alabama, King, of New York, Knight, Lanman, Lloyd, of Maryland, Lloyd, of Massachusetts, Lowrie, McIlvaine, McLean, Macon, Mills, Palmer, Parrott, Ruggles, Seymour, Smith, Talbot, Taylor, Tazewell, Thomas, Van Buren, and Van Dyke.

So it was

Resolved, (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring therein,) That the Senate do advise and consent to the ratification of the treaty, made and concluded at the City of Washington, on the fourth day of August, one thousand eight hundred and twenty-four, between the United States and the Sock and Fox tribes of Indians.

Ordered, That the Secretary lay this resolution before the President of the United States.

The Senate proceeded to consider the message of the 16th December, nominating Lieutenants in the Navy.

On the question, "Will the Senate advise and consent to the appointments of D. H. Mackey, G. W. Carpenter, J. L. Saunders, J. B. Hull,

Jun., Jott S. Payne, John E. Prentiss, Joseph Moorhead, Samuel B. Phelps, William T. Rodgers, Thomas Pettigru, Augustus Cutts, John S. Chauncey, Irvine Shubrick, Charles Ellery, Thomas R. Gerry, John Kelly, Hugh Dulaney, Edmund Byrne, Edward S. Johnson, William H. Gardner, Frederick Janett, David G. Farragut, R. S. Pinkney, Stephen B. Wilson, Edward C. Rutledge, William S. Harris, Thomas Dornin, Benjamin S. Grimke, John P. Tuttle, and Robert B. Cunningham?"

It was determined in the affirmative.

On the question, "Will the Senate advise and consent to the appointments of James Glynn, Joseph Myers, William C. Wetmore, William B. Nicholson, Thomas R. Gedney, John Bubier, Victor M. Randolph, Joseph Cutts, Jun., Jacob Crowninshield, Frederick Engle, Thomas S. Brown, Alexander J. D. Brown, Jesse Smith, John H. Smith, Merrit S. Scott, Francis Sanderson, John Rudd, Robert Ritchie, David R. Stewart, William W. McKean, Benjamin Tallmadge, Jun., Franklin Buchanan, H. H. Hobbs, Samuel Mercer, Charles Lowndes, Duncan N. Ingraham, John Marston, Jun., Henry Bruce, William D. Newman, A. B. Pinkham, William H. Homer, James D. Knight, Joseph Mattison, William S. Walker, Alexander Slidell, James S. Boughan, and George F. Pearson?"

It was determined in the affirmative: Yeas, 35; Nays, 10.

On motion by Mr. Lowrie,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Those who voted in the affirmative, are—Messrs. Barbour, Barton, Bell, Benton, Brown, Clayton, D'Wolf, Eaton, Edwards, Elliott, Gaillard, Hayne, Holmes, of Maine, Holmes, of Mississippi, Jackson, Johnson, of Kentucky, Johnston, of Louisiana, Kelly, King, of New York, Knight, Lanman, Lloyd, of Maryland, Lloyd, of Massachusetts, McIlvaine, Mills, Noble, Palmer, Parrott, Seymour, Smith, Talbot, Taylor, Tazewell, Van Buren, and Van Dyke.

Those who voted in the negative, are—Messrs. Branch, Chandler, Cobb, Dickerson, Findlay, Lowrie, McLean, Macon, Ruggles, and Thomas.

So it was

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointments of Lieutenants in the Navy, contained in the message of the 16th instant.

Mr. Van Buren, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the message of the 3d instant, nominating Ether Shepley, and others, to office, reported in part. Whereupon,

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointment of John W. Livingston, Charles T. Porter, and George W. Scott, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

Ordered, That the nomination of John Vawter lie on the table.

Mr. Van Buren, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred, on the 3d instant, the nomination of Augustus B. Woodward, reported.

Mr. Dickerson, from the Committee on Commerce and Manufactures, to whom were referred, on the 10th instant, the nominations of Jonathan Thompson, and Thomas Carter, reported. Whereupon,

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointments of Jonathan Thompson, and Thomas Carter, agreeably to the nominations respectively.

The following written messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Everett, his Secretary:

To the President of the Senate, pro tempore:

I nominate J. J. Debesse, of Rochelle, in France, as Consul of the United States at Rochelle, in the place of Gerard D. Smith, resigned.

JAMES MONROE,

WASHINGTON, January 10th, 1825.

The President of the Senate, pro tempore:

I nominate to the Senate, Joseph Hill Clark, of Massachusetts, to be Consul of the United States for the port of Lubec.

JAMES MONROE.

WASHINGTON, January 12th, 1825.

The messages were severally read.

Ordered, That they lie for consideration.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 19, 1825.

The following written messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Everett, his Secretary:

The Senate of the United States:

I nominate H. Atkinson, of the Army of the United States, and Benjamin O'Fallon, Indian Agent, as Commissioners, to hold treaties of trade and friendship with the Indian tribes beyond the Mississippi.

I also nominate Duncan G. Campbell, and James Meriwether, Commissioners to treat with the Creek Indians,

JAMES MONROE.

WASHINGTON, January 17th, 1825.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Samuel Gwathmey, Register of the Land Office at Jeffersonville, Indiana, from 4th January, 1825, at which time his commission expired.

Also, John Badolett, Register of the Land Office at Vincennes, Indiana, from 4th January, 1825, at which time his commission expired.

Also, Samuel Stokely, Receiver of Public Moneys for the district of Steubenville, Ohio, from 4th January, 1825, at which time his commission expired.

Also, John Herbert, Receiver of Public Moneys at Conecuh Court-house, Alabama, from 8th January, 1825, at which time his commission expired.

Also, William G. Parrish, Receiver of Public Moneys at Tuscaloosa, Alabama, from 8th January, 1825, at which time his commission expired.

JAMES MONROE.

WASHINGTON, January 17th, 1825.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Daniel Swett, Naval Officer for the port of Newburyport, Massachusetts.

Also, Adam Cooke, Surveyor and Inspector of the Revenue for the port of Fredericksburg, Virginia, from 4th January, 1825, at which time his commission expired.

Also, Nathan Sage, Collector of the Customs for the district, and Inspector of the Revenue for the port of Oswego, New York, from January 4th, 1825, at which time his commission expired.

Also, John Steele, Collector of the Customs for the district of Philadelphia, from January 4th, 1825, at which time his commission expired.

Also, Beverly Chew, Collector of the Customs for the district of New-Orleans, from January 4th, 1825, at which time his commission expired.

Also, Eugene Sullivan, Surveyor and Inspector of the Revenue for the port of West Point, Virginia, from 4th January, 1825, at which time his commission expired.

Also, Ezekiel G. Sherman, Surveyor and Inspector of the Revenue at Carter's Creek, Virginia, from 4th January, 1825, at which time his commission expired.

Also, John Ennalls, Collector of the Customs for the district, and Inspector of the Revenue for the port of Vienna, Maryland, from 4th January, 1825, at which time his commission expired.

Also, James Gibbon, Collector of the Customs for the district of Richmond and Manchester, Virginia, from 4th January, 1825, at which time his commission expired.

Also, Isaac Ilsley, Collector of the Customs at Portland and Falmouth, Maine, from 4th January, 1825, at which time his commission expired.

Also, Henry Elkins, Naval Officer for the port of Salem, from 4th January, 1825, at which time his commission expired.

Also, William Cross, Surveyor and Inspector of the Revenue for the port of Newburyport, Massachusetts, from 4th January, 1825, at which time his commission expired.

Also, Robert Arnold, Collector of the Customs for the district, and Inspector of the Revenue for the port of Perth Amboy, New Jersey, from 8th January, 1825, at which time his commission expired.

Also, Thomas Savage, Collector of the Customs for the district, and Inspector of the Revenue for the port of York, Maine, from 8th January, 1825, at which time his commission expired.

Also, Thomas Durfee, Surveyor and Inspector of the Revenue for the port of Tiverton, Rhode Island, from 29th January, 1825, at which time his commission will expire.

Also, Joseph Aborn, Surveyor and Inspector of the Revenue for Patuxet, Rhode Island, from 29th January, 1825, at which time his commission will expire.

JAMES MONROE.

WASHINGTON, *January 17th*, 1825.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate John R. Fox, Inspector of the Revenue for the port of Yorktown, Virginia.

JAMES MONROE.

January 18th, 1825.

The messages were severally read.

On motion,

Ordered, That the message nominating Daniel Swett, and others, to be Officers of the Customs, be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Manufactures, to consider and report thereon.

On motion,

Ordered, That the message nominating Samuel Gwathmey, and others, to be Registers and Receivers at the respective Land Offices, be referred to the Committee on Public Lands, to consider and report thereon.

On motion,

It was agreed, by unanimous consent, to consider the nominations of Duncan G. Campbell, and James Meriwether, contained in the message of this day; and

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointments of Duncan G. Campbell, and James Meriwether, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

The following written message was received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Everett, his Secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I transmit to the Senate, for its advice and consent as to the ratification, a treaty which has been concluded by a Commissioner, duly authorized for the purpose, with the Quapaw Indians, in Arkansas, for the cession of their claim to the lands in that Territory. I transmit, also, a report from the Secretary of War, with other documents, relating to this subject.

JAMES MONROE.

WASHINGTON, *January 17th*, 1825.

The message, treaty, and accompanying documents, were read.

The Senate proceeded to consider the message nominating J. J. Debesse to office; and

Resolved, That they do advise and consent to the appointment, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion,

Ordered, That the nomination of Joseph Hill Clark, contained in the message of the 13th instant, be referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations, to consider and report thereon.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 20, 1825.

The following written message was received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Mosher, his Secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I transmit herewith to the Senate, a report from the Secretary of State, with the documents desired by their resolution of the 13th instant. In requesting that the originals may eventually be returned, it may be unnecessary to add, that the negotiations being, by common consent, to be hereafter resumed, it is important that this communication should be regarded by the Senate as strictly confidential.

JAMES MONROE.

January 19th, 1825.

The message and accompanying documents were read.

Ordered, That fifty copies thereof be printed, under an injunction of secrecy.

On motion,

Ordered, That the treaty with the Quapaw nation of Indians, be referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs, to consider and report thereon.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 26, 1825.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the nominations of H. Atkinson, and Benjamin O'Fallon, contained in the message of the 19th instant; and

Resolved, That they do advise and consent to the appointments, agreeably to the nominations respectively.

On motion,

Ordered, That the message of the 19th instant, nominating John R. Fox to office, be referred to the Committee on Finance, to consider and report thereon.

Mr. Dickerson, from the Committee on Commerce and Manufactures, to whom was referred, on the 5th instant, the nomination of George Hudson, reported. Whereupon,

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointment of George Hudson, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. Dickerson, from the Committee on Commerce and Manufactures, to whom was referred the message of the 19th instant, nominating Daniel Swett, and others, to be Officers of the Customs, reported. Whereupon,

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointments of Adam Cooke, Nathan Sage, Beverly Chew, Eugene Sullivan, Ezekiel G. Sherman, John Ennalls, James Gibbon, Isaac Ilsley, Henry Elkins, William Cross, Robert Arnold, Thomas Savage, Thomas Durfee, and Joseph Aborn, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

Ordered, That the nominations of Daniel Swett, and John Steele, lie on the table.

Mr. Van Buren, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the nomination of Thomas Morris, contained in the message of the 3d instant, nominating Ether Shepley, and others, reported. Whereupon,

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointment of Thomas Morris, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. Benton, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred, on the 20th instant, the treaty with the Quapaw Indians, reported the same without amendment.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 27, 1825.

The following written message was received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Everett, his Secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I transmit to the Senate, a treaty concluded in this City with a deputation from the Choctaw Indians, accompanied with the report from the Secretary of War, with a copy of the correspondence connected with the negotiations, for the advice and consent of the Senate.

JAMES MONROE.

WASHINGTON, January 27th, 1825.

The message, convention, and accompanying documents, were read.

Ordered, That they be referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs, to consider and report thereon; and that the convention be printed, in confidence, for the use of the members.

The treaty with the Quapaw nation of Indians was read the second time, and considered as in Committee of the Whole; and no amendment having been made thereto, it was reported to the Senate.

On motion,

Ordered, That it lie on the table, and be printed in confidence for the use of the members.

The following written message was received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Everett, his Secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the Rev. Charles P. McIlvaine, of New Jersey, to be Chaplain and Professor of Geography, History, and Ethics, at the Military Academy at West Point.

JAMES MONROE.

WASHINGTON CITY, *January 27th*, 1825.

The message was read.

Mr. Barton, from the Committee on Public Lands, to whom was referred, on the 19th instant, the message nominating Samuel Gwathmey, and others, to be Registers and Receivers, reported. Whereupon,

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointments of Samuel Gwathmey, John Badolett, Samuel Stokely, John Herbert, and William G. Parrish, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 28, 1825.

The President communicated a letter from Messrs. Gales and Seaton, stating that an application has been made to them, on the part of the Department of State, to furnish that Department with twenty-five copies of the confidential papers printed by an order of the Senate of the 20th instant, and expressing their desire to comply with the same, should it meet the sanction of the Senate. The letter was read; and,

On motion,

Ordered, That the President of the Senate be requested to direct a compliance with the application.

The Senate proceeded to consider the message of the 27th instant, nominating Charles P. McIlvaine to office; and

Resolved, That they advise and consent to the appointment, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Benton,

Ordered, That the message of the President of the United States, of yesterday, transmitting a treaty with the Choctaw Indians, together with the accompanying documents, be printed, in confidence, for the use of the members.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the nomination of Augustus B. Woodward, contained in the message of the 28th of December; and

Ordered, That the further consideration thereof be postponed to Monday next.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 1825.

The following written messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Everett, his Secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Lewis M. Goldsborough, passed Midshipman, to be a Lieutenant in the Navy of the United States, and to take rank next after Lieutenant Charles Lowndes; and

Henry A. Adams, passed Midshipman, to be a Lieutenant in the Navy of the United States, and to take rank next after Lieutenant William D. Newman.

JAMES MONROE.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate John A. Smith, of New York, at present Secretary of Legation at London, to be Secretary of Legation at Madrid.

John J. Appleton, of Massachusetts, at present Secretary of Legation at Madrid, to be Secretary of Legation at London.

Harvey Gregg, of Indiana, to be Consul at Acapulco, in Mexico.

Daniel Wynne, of New York, to be Consul at St. Jago de Chili.

Joshua Bond, of Maryland, to be Consul at Monte Video.

Daniel W. Smith, to be Consul at Refugio, Mexico, Rio Grande.

JAMES MONROE.

February 11th, 1825.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate William R. Overton, to be Register of the Land Office for West Florida; also,

Richard K. Call, to be Receiver for the Land Office for West Florida.

JAMES MONROE.

February 11th, 1825.

The messages were severally read.

On motion,

It was agreed, by unanimous consent, that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the nominations of Lewis M. Goldsborough, and Henry A. Adams, contained in the message of this day; and

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointments, agreeably to the nominations respectively.

Mr. Barton, from the Committee on Public Lands, to whom was referred, on the 21st of December, the nomination of William Lee D. Ewing, reported. Whereupon,

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointment, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. Barbour, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom was referred, on the 19th of January, the message nominating Joseph Hill Clark to office, reported. Whereupon,

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointment, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion,

The Senate resumed the consideration of the treaty with the Quapaw Indians; and

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading. Whereupon,

Mr. Benton submitted the following motion for consideration:

Resolved, (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring therein,) That the Senate do advise and consent to the ratification of the treaty, made and concluded at Harrington's, in the Territory of Arkansas, on the fifteenth day of November, 1824, between the United States and the Quapaw nation of Indians.

Mr. Benton, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred, on the 27th of January, the Convention with the Choctaw Indians, reported the same without amendment.

The said convention was read, and considered as in Committee of the Whole; and no amendment having been made thereto, it was reported to the Senate.

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading. Whereupon,

Mr. Benton submitted the following motion for consideration:

Resolved, (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring therein,) That the Senate do advise and consent to the ratification of a convention, made and concluded at Washington City, on the 20th day of January, 1825, between the United States and the Choctaw nation of Indians.

Mr. Smith, from the Committee on Finance, to whom was referred, on the 19th of January, the message nominating John R. Fox to office, reported.

Whereupon,

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointment, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion,

It was agreed, by unanimous consent, to consider the nomination of Daniel W. Smith, contained in the message of this day; and

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointment, agreeably to the nomination.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 1825.

The treaty with the Quapaw nation of Indians was read a third time.

On the question to agree to the resolution for ratifying the same;

It was determined in the affirmative: Yeas, 31; Nays, 3.

Those who voted in the affirmative, are—Messrs. Barton, Bell, Benton, Boulogny, Branch, Brown, Chandler, Clayton, Cobb, Dickerson, Eaton, Gaillard, Holmes, of Maine, Holmes, of Mississippi, Johnson, of Kentucky, Kelly, King, of Alabama, Knight, Lanman, McIlvaine, McLean, Palmer, Parrott, Ruggles, Seymour, Smith, Talbot, Taylor, Tazewell, Thomas, and Williams.

Those who voted in the negative, are—Messrs. King, of New York, Lowrie, and Macon.

So it was

Resolved, (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring therein,) That the Senate do advise and consent to the ratification of the treaty, made and concluded at Harrington's, in the Territory of Arkansas, on the fifteenth day of November, 1824, between the United States and the Quapaw nation of Indians.

Ordered, That the Secretary lay this resolution before the President of the United States.

The convention with the Choctaw Indians was read the third time.

On the question to agree to the resolution for ratifying the same;

It was determined in the affirmative: Yeas, 30; Nays, 6.

Those who voted in the affirmative, are—Messrs. Barbour, Barton, Bell, Benton, Boulogny, Branch, Brown, Cobb, Dickerson, Eaton, Edwards, Findlay, Gaillard, Kelly, King, of Alabama, Knight, Lanman, Lloyd, of Massachusetts, McIlvaine, McLean, Palmer, Parrott, Ruggles, Seymour, Smith, Talbot, Taylor, Tazewell, Thomas, and Van Buren.

Those who voted in the negative, are—Messrs. D'Wolf, Holmes, of Mississippi, King, of New York, Lowrie, Macon, and Williams.

So it was

Resolved, (two thirds of the Senators present concurring therein,) That the Senate do advise and consent to the ratification of the convention, made and concluded at Washington City, on the 20th day of January, 1825, between the United States and the Choctaw nation of Indians.

Ordered, That the Secretary lay this resolution before the President of the United States.

On motion by Mr. Kelly,

Resolved, That the injunction of secrecy be removed from the proceedings of the Senate, in relation to the treaty concluded at Washington City, between the United States and the Choctaw Indians, on the 20th day of January, 1825, and the correspondence accompanying the same.

The following written message was received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Everett, his Secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

Having committed an error in a late nomination to the Senate, of a Register to the Land Office in West Florida, in the name of the person nominated, I hereby recall that nomination, and nominate Samuel R. Overton to that office.

JAMES MONROE.

WASHINGTON, *February 14th*, 1825.

The message was read, and considered by unanimous consent.

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointment of Samuel R. Overton, agreeably to the nomination.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the message of the 11th instant, nominating John A. Smith, and others, to office; and

Resolved, That they do advise and consent to the appointments of John A. Smith, John J. Appleton, Harvey Gregg, Daniel Wynne, and Joshua Bond, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

Mr. Van Buren, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the nomination of Samuel D. Harris, contained in the message of the 3d January, reported. Whereupon,

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointment of Samuel D. Harris, agreeably to the nomination.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the nomination of Augustus B. Woodward; and,

On motion,

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of Richard K. Call, contained in the message of the 11th instant; and,

On motion,

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 1825.

The two following written messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Everett, his Secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I renominate Thomas Savage, to be Collector and Inspector of the Revenue for the district of York, Maine.

Josiah Hook, to be Collector of the Revenue for the district of Penobscot, Maine.

Alexander Wolcott, to be Collector of the Revenue for the district of Middletown, Connecticut.

Peter Saily, to be Collector of the Revenue for the district of Champlain, at Plattsburg.

Sylvester Gavit, to be Surveyor and Inspector of the Revenue for the port of Pawcatuck, in the district of Newport, Rhode Island.

John B. Barton, to be Surveyor and Inspector of the Revenue at the port of Providence, Rhode Island.

William Cross, to be Surveyor of the Revenue in the district of Newburyport, Massachusetts.

JAMES MONROE.

WASHINGTON, *February 17th*, 1825.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate George Izard, of Philadelphia, to be Governor of the Territory of Arkansas, in the place of James Miller, appointed Collector at Salem, Massachusetts.

I nominate Russel Freeman, of Massachusetts, to be Collector of the Revenue for the port of New Bedford, in the place of John Haws, deceased.

I nominate George Wheelwright, to be Collector of the port of Kennebunk, in Maine.

Daniel Granger, to be Collector of the district of Saco, Massachusetts.

JAMES MONROE.

WASHINGTON, *February 17th*, 1825.

The messages were severally read.

Ordered, That the nominations of Thomas Savage, Josiah Hook, Alexander Wolcott, and Peter Saily, be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Manufactures, to consider and report thereon.

The following written message was received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Everett, his Secretary:

The President of the Senate, pro tempore:

I transmit to the Senate, a convention of general peace, amity, navigation and commerce, signed by the Plenipotentiaries of the United States, and of the Republic of Colombia, at Bogota, on the third of October, 1824, together with the documents appertaining to the negotiation of the same, for the constitutional consideration of the Senate, with regard to its ratification.

JAMES MONROE.

WASHINGTON, *February 21st*, 1825.

The message, convention, and accompanying documents, were read.

On motion,

Ordered, That they be referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations, to consider and report thereon; and that the convention be printed, in confidence, for the use of the members.

The following written message was received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Everett, his Secretary:

The President of the Senate, pro tempore:

I transmit to the Senate a convention, signed by the Plenipotentiaries of the United States, and of the Republic of Colombia, at Bogota, on the 10th of December, 1824, together with the documents appertaining to the negotiation of the same, for the constitutional consideration of the Senate, with regard to its ratification.

JAMES MONROE.

WASHINGTON, *February 21st*, 1825.

The message, convention, and accompanying documents, were read.

On motion,

Ordered, That they be referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations, to consider and report thereon; and that the convention be printed, in confidence, for the use of the members.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the motion of the 23d of December, to remove the injunction of secrecy from the proceedings of the Senate on the nomination of Ninian Edwards; and agreed thereto.

Mr. Hayne submitted the following motion for consideration:

Resolved, That the injunction of secrecy on the proceedings of the Senate, on the nomination of James Monroe, to be Secretary of State, be removed.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the nomination of Augustus B. Woodward, contained in the message of the 28th of December; and,

On the question, "Will the Senate advise and consent to this appointment?"

It was determined in the affirmative: Yeas, 37; Nays, 5.

On motion by Mr. Branch,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present, Those who voted in the affirmative, are—Messrs. Barbour, Barton, Bell, Benton, Boulogny, Brown, Clayton, Cobb, D'Wolf, Dickerson, Eaton, Edwards, Elliott, Findlay, Hayne, Holmes, of Maine, Holmes, of Mississippi, Jackson, Johnson, of Kentucky, Johnston, of Louisiana, Kelly, King, of Alabama, King, of New York, Knight, Lloyd, of Massachusetts, Lowrie, McIlvaine, Macon, Noble, Parrott, Seymour, Smith, Talbot, Tazewell, Thomas, Van Buren, and Williams.

Those who voted in the negative, are—Messrs. Branch, Chandler, Lanman, McLean, and Ruggles.

So it was

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointment, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion,

The Senate resumed the consideration of the nomination of John Steele, contained in the message of the 19th instant; and

Resolved, That they do advise and consent to the appointment, agreeably to the nomination.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 1825.

Mr. Barbour, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom was referred, on the 26th instant, the convention of general peace, amity, navigation, and commerce, with the Republic of Colombia, reported the same without amendment.

The said convention was read the second time, and considered as in Committee of the Whole; and no amendment having been made thereto, it was reported to the Senate.

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

Mr. Barbour submitted the following motion for consideration:

Resolved, (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring therein,) That the Senate do advise and consent to the ratification of the general convention of peace, amity, navigation, and commerce, between the United States of America and the Republic of Colombia, concluded at Bogota, on the 3d day of October, 1824.

Mr. Barbour, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom was referred, on the 22d instant, the convention with the Republic of Colombia, of the 10th of December, 1824, reported the same without amendment.

The Senate proceeded to consider the motion of the 22d instant, to remove the injunction of secrecy from the proceedings of the Senate, on the nomination of James Monroe to be Secretary of State; and agreed thereto.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 1825.

The following written message was received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Everett, his Secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I transmit to the Senate, for the exercise of its constitutional power, a treaty, lately concluded at the Indian Springs, by Commissioners of the United States, duly authorized, with the chiefs of the Creek nation, assembled there in council, with the documents connected therewith.

JAMES MONROE.

WASHINGTON, February 28th, 1825.

The message, convention, and accompanying documents, were read.

Ordered, That they be referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs, to consider and report thereon.

SIX O'CLOCK IN THE EVENING.

The seven following written messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Everett, his Secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Albert J. Clagett, of Maryland, to be District Attorney for West Florida, in the place of William F. Steele, removed.

James W. McGoffin, to be Consul of the United States at Saltello, in Mexico.

Joseph W. Patterson, to be a Director of the Bank of the United States, in the place of William Patterson.

Thomas Vowell, Christopher Neale, and William Minor, to be Justices of the Peace for the County of Alexandria.

JAMES MONROE.

WASHINGTON, February 26th, 1825.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Nathaniel Holland, to be Collector and Inspector of the Revenue, for the district of Cherry Stone, State of Virginia.

Robert Butler, to be Surveyor and Inspector of the Revenue, for the port of Smithfield, in the State of Virginia.

Francis Hawks, Collector and Inspector of the Revenue, for the district of Newbern, North Carolina.

Enoch Sawyer, Collector and Inspector of the Revenue, for the district of Camden, North Carolina.

James Holmes, Collector and Inspector of the Revenue, for the district of Sunbury, State of Georgia.

John Barnes, Collector and Inspector of the Revenue, for the district of Georgetown, District of Columbia.

Bathurst Dangerfield, Surveyor and Inspector of the Revenue, for the port of Alexandria, District of Columbia.

John Randall, Collector and Inspector of the Revenue, for the district of Annapolis, Maryland.

John Ferguson, Naval Officer for the port of New York.

Isaiah L. Green, to be Collector and Inspector of the Revenue, for the district of Barnstable, Massachusetts.

John Haws, Collector and Inspector of the Revenue, for the district of New Bedford, Massachusetts.

Denny McCobb, Collector and Inspector of the Revenue, for the district of Waldoborough, State of Maine.

Joshua Prentiss, Surveyor and Inspector of the Revenue, for the port of Marblehead, Massachusetts.

Ashbell W. Wolworth, Collector for the district of Cuyahoga, and Inspector of the Revenue, for the port of Erie, in the State of Ohio.

William Emerson, Surveyor and Inspector of the Revenue, for the port of New Orleans, Louisiana.

John B. Barton, Surveyor and Inspector of the Revenue, for the port of Providence, Rhode Island.

Lemuel Howell, Collector and Inspector of the Revenue, for the district of Burlington, New Jersey.

Abraham Bishop, Collector and Inspector of the Revenue, for the district of New Haven, Connecticut.

Samuel Hoit, Collector and Inspector of the Revenue, for the district of Pearl River, Mississippi, vice Samuel White, resigned.

JAMES MONROE.

WASHINGTON, *February 28th*, 1825.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate George N. Hollins, a passed Midshipman, to be a Lieutenant in the Navy of the United States; to take rank next after Louis M. Goldsborough.

JAMES MONROE.

WASHINGTON, *February 24th*, 1825.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Amos Binney, of Massachusetts, to be Navy Agent for the port of Boston;

George Harrison, of Pennsylvania, to be Navy Agent for the port of Philadelphia;

James Beatty, of Maryland, to be Navy Agent for the port of Baltimore;

Joseph Hull, of Connecticut, to be Navy Agent for the port of Middletown;

James Riddle, of Delaware, to be Navy Agent for the port of Newcastle; and

John Randall, of Maryland, to be Navy Agent for the port of Annapolis;

for the term of four years, from the third day of March next ensuing.

JAMES MONROE.

WASHINGTON, *February 28th*, 1825.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Richard Smith, brevet Major, to be Lieutenant Colonel by brevet; he having served ten years in the grade of brevet Major, in the Marine Corps.

William Anderson, Captain in the Marine Corps, to be a Major by brevet; he having served ten years in the grade of Captain.

Levi Twiggs, and John Harris, First Lieutenants, to be Captains in the Marine Corps, by brevet; they having served ten years in the grade of First Lieutenant.

Andrew Ross, Second Lieutenant, to be a First Lieutenant in the Marine Corps; to take rank from the 1st of October, 1824.

William A. Bloodgood, Second Lieutenant, to be a First Lieutenant in the Marine Corps; to take rank from the 1st of December, 1824.

William T. Bourne, to be a Second Lieutenant in the Marine Corps; to take rank from the 5th of August, 1824.

Jonathan W. Sherburne, Midshipman, to be a Lieutenant in the Navy.

1824. July 10, Benajah Ticknor,	} Surgeon's Mates, in the Navy, to be Surgeon's; to take rank according to the dates in the margin.
July 12, Mordecai Morgan,	
July 13, Thomas J. Boyd,	
July 14, John W. Peaco,	
July 15, William Birchmore,	

1824. July 9, Benjamin F. Bache, of Penn.	} To be Surgeon's Mates in the Navy; to take rank according to the dates in the margin.
July 10, Samuel Biddle, do	
July 12, Charles B. Jaudon, do	
July 13, Robert P. Macomber, R. Island,	
July 14, De Witt Birch, New York,	
July 15, Augustus A. Adee, do	
Nov. 14. John R. Chandler, Dist. Col.	
Nov. 15, Thomas Dillard, Virginia,	
Nov. 16, Augustin P. Beers, New York,	}
Nov. 17, Richard Kennon, Virginia,	

Garrett R. Barry, of Pennsylvania,	} To be Pursers in the Navy.
William P. Zantzinger, do	
David M. F. Thornton, Kentucky,	

Rev. John McCarty, of New York,	} To be Chaplains in the Navy.
Rev. John W. Grier, of Pennsylvania,	

Rev. Walter D. Addison, to be a Chaplain in the Navy.

JAMES MONROE.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate John M. Sullivan, a passed Midshipman, to be a Lieutenant in the Navy of the United States; to take rank next after John E. Prentiss.

JAMES MONROE.

WASHINGTON, *February 28th*, 1825.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Beverly R. Grayson, to be Register of the Land Office at Washington, Mississippi.

Peyton S. Symmes, Register of the Land Office at Cincinnati, Ohio.

Joseph Wood, Register of the Land Office at Marietta, State of Ohio.

Jesse Spencer, Register of the Land Office at Chillicothe, Ohio.

Isaac Vanhorne, Receiver of Public Moneys for the district of Zanesville, Ohio.

Sylvester Garrit, Surveyor and Inspector of the Revenue, for the port of Pawcatuck, Rhode Island.

Copeland Parker, Surveyor and Inspector of the Revenue, for the port of Norfolk, Virginia.

John S. Tapscott, Collector of the Customs for the district, and Inspector of the Revenue for the port of Yeocomico, Virginia.

JAMES MONROE.

WASHINGTON, *February 28th*, 1825.

The messages were severally read.

Ordered, That the nominations of Thomas Vowell, Christopher Neale, and Willam Minor, to be Justices of the Peace, be referred to the Committee on the District of Columbia, to consider and report thereon.

Ordered, That the message nominating Amos Binney, and others, to be Navy Agents; the message nominating Richard Smith, and others, to promotions and appointments in the Marine Corps and Navy; the message nominating George N. Hollins, to be a Lieutenant in the Navy; and the message nominating John M. Sullivan, to be a Lieutenant in the Navy; be severally referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs, to consider and report thereon.

Ordered, That the message nominating Nathaniel Holland, and others, to be Officers of the Customs, be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Manufactures, to consider and report thereon.

Ordered, That the nominations of Sylvester Garrit, Copeland Parker, and John S. Tapscott, be severally referred to the Committee on Commerce and Manufactures, to consider and report thereon.

Ordered, That the nominations of Beverly R. Grayson, Peyton S. Symmes, Joseph Wood, Jesse Spencer, and Isaac Vanhorne, be severally referred to the Committee on Public Lands, to consider and report thereon.

Mr. Benton, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the message of the President of the United States, together with the convention with the Creek Indians, reported the convention without amendment.

On motion,

Ordered, That the said convention and accompanying documents be printed, in confidence, for the use of the members.

The Senate proceeded to consider the message of the 22d instant, nominating George Izard, and others, to offices; and

Resolved, That they do advise and consent to the appointment of George Wheelwright, agreeably to the nomination.

Ordered, That the nominations of George Izard, and Daniel Granger, lie on the table.

Ordered, That the nomination of Russel Freeman be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Manufactures, to consider and report thereon.

TUESDAY, MARCH 1, 1825.

The following written message was received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Everett, his Secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate George W. Ward, of Florida, to be Register of the Land Office for East Florida; and Moses Green, of Virginia, to be Receiver of Public Moneys for the Land Office for East Florida.

JAMES MONROE.

WASHINGTON, *February 28th*, 1825.

The message was read.

Ordered, That the nomination of George W. Ward be referred to the Committee on Public Lands, to consider and report thereon.

The two following written messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Everett, his Secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I withdraw the nomination of Walter D. Addison, to be Chaplain in the Navy, and nominate John Addison to that station, a mistake having been made in the name.

JAMES MONROE.

March 1st, 1825.

To the Senate of the United States:

I withdraw the nomination of John Hawes, as Collector of the Customs for the port of New Bedford, it having been made by mistake.

JAMES MONROE.

WASHINGTON, March 1st, 1825.

The messages were read.

The convention with the Creek Indians was read, and considered as in Committee of the Whole; and no amendment having been made thereto, it was reported to the Senate.

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

Mr. Benton submitted the following motion for consideration:

Resolved, (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring therein,) That the Senate do advise and consent to the ratification of the convention concluded at the Indian Springs, on the 12th day of February, 1825, between the United States and the Creek nation of Indians, together with the separate article thereto.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 2, 1825.

The following written messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Everett, his Secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons whose names are stated in the enclosed list from the Secretary of War, for the offices therein respectively proposed.

JAMES MONROE

WASHINGTON, March 2d, 1825.

WAR DEPARTMENT, 17th February, 1825.

SIR: I have the honor to lay before you, the annexed list of promotions and appointments for the Army of the United States.

I have the honor to be, Sir,

With great respect,

Your obedient servant,

JOHN C. CALHOUN.

To the PRESIDENT of the United States.

PROMOTIONS AND APPOINTMENTS IN THE ARMY OF THE UNITED STATES.

PROMOTIONS.

First Regiment of Artillery.

2d Lieut. Lemuel Gates, to be 1st Lieut., 11th February, 1825, vice Evans, cashiered.

Brevet 2d Lieut. John N. Dillahunty, of the 4th Artillery, to be 2d Lieut., 1st July, 1824.

Second Regiment of Artillery.

2d Lieut. Samuel McKenzie, to be 1st Lieut., 20th February, 1825, vice Webber, resigned.

Brevet 2d Lieut. Francis L. Jones, of the 4th Artillery, to be 2d Lieut., 1st July, 1824.

Fourth Regiment of Artillery.

2d Lieut. S. B. Dusenbury, to be 1st Lieut., 1st March, 1825, vice Mead, resigned.

Brevet 2d Lieut. George W. Long, of the 1st Artillery, to be 2d Lieut., 1st July, 1824.

George Bomford, Lieut. Col. 1st regiment of Artillery, 9th Feb., 1815, to be Colonel by brevet, to rank 9th Feb., 1825, for ten years' faithful service in same grade.

A. R. Wolley, Major 6th regiment of Infantry, 9th Feb., 1815, to be Lieut. Col. by brevet, to rank 9th Feb., 1825, for ten years' faithful service in same grade.

William Wade, Captain 4th regiment of Artillery, 9th Feb., 1815, to be Major by brevet, to rank 9th Feb., 1825, for ten years' faithful service in same grade.

R. E. DeRussey, Captain Corps of Engineers, 9th Feb., 1815, to be Major by brevet, to rank 9th Feb., 1825, for ten years' faithful service in same grade.

Second Regiment of Infantry.

2d Lieut. Edmund B. Griswold, to be 1st Lieut., 10th Feb., 1825, vice Harrison, deceased.

Brevet 2d Lieut. William Bloodgood, of the 1st Infantry, to be 2d Lieut., 1st July, 1824.

APPOINTMENT.

Cadet Richard Newman, to be 2d Lieut., 7th regiment of Infantry.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Robert Henley, Stephen Cassin, James Renshaw, Thomas Brown, Charles C. B. Thompson, Alexander S. Wadsworth, George W. Rodgers, George C. Read, and Henry E. Ballard, Masters Commandant, to be Captains in the Navy of the United States, to take rank in the order in which they are arranged.

JAMES MONROE.

WASHINGTON, March 1st, 1825.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Lawrence Kearney, Foxall A. Parker, Edward R. McCall, Daniel Turner, David Conner, John Gallagher, and Thomas Holdup Stevens, Lieutenants, to be Masters Commandant in the Navy of the United States, to take rank in the order in which they are arranged.

JAMES MONROE.

WASHINGTON, March 1st, 1825.

The messages were severally read.

Ordered, That the message nominating for promotions and appointments in the Army, be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs, to consider and report thereon.

Ordered, That the message nominating Robert Henley, and others, also the message nominating Lawrence Kearney, and others, be severally referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs, to consider and report thereon.

Mr. Parrott communicated certain documents relating to the rank of Lieutenant Ebenezer Ridgeway; which were read; and,

On his motion,

Ordered, That they be referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs, to consider and report thereon.

THURSDAY, MARCH 3, 1825.

✓ The general convention of peace, amity, navigation, and commerce, with the Republic of Colombia, was read a third time.

On the question to agree to the resolution for the ratification thereof;

It was determined in the affirmative: Yeas, 32.

Those who voted, are—Messrs. Barbour, Barton, Bell, Benton, Boulogny, Branch, Brown, Chandler, Clayton, Cobb, D'Wolf, Dickerson, Edwards, Findlay, Gaillard, Hayne, Holmes, of Maine, Holmes, of Mississippi, Johnston, of Louisiana, Kelly, King, of Alabama, Lloyd, of Maryland, Lowrie, McIlvaine, McLean, Macon, Parrott, Ruggles, Smith, Talbot, Tazewell, and Thomas.

So it was

Resolved, (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring therein,) That the Senate do advise and consent to the ratification of the general convention of peace, amity, navigation, and commerce, between the United States of America and the Republic of Colombia, concluded at Bogota, on the 3d day of October, one thousand eight hundred and twenty-four.

Ordered, That the Secretary lay this resolution before the President of the United States.

The convention with the Creek Indians was read a third time.

On the question to agree to the resolution for the ratification thereof,

It was determined in the affirmative: Yeas, 38; Nays, 4.

Those who voted in the affirmative, are—Messrs. Barbour, Bell, Benton, Boulogny, Brown, Clayton, Cobb, Dickerson, Eaton, Edwards, Elliott, Findlay, Gaillard, Hayne, Holmes, of Maine, Holmes, of Mississippi, Johnson, of Kentucky, Johnston, of Louisiana, Kelly, King, of Alabama, Lanman, Lloyd, of Maryland, Lloyd, of Massachusetts, Lowrie, McIlvaine, McLean, Macon, Mills, Parrott, Ruggles, Seymour, Smith, Talbot, Tazewell, Thomas, Van Buren, Van Dyke, and Williams.

Those who voted in the negative, are—Messrs. Barton, Branch, Chandler, and D'Wolf.

So it was

Resolved, (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring therein,) That the Senate do advise and consent to the ratification of the convention concluded at the Indian Springs, on the 12th day of February, 1825, between the United States and the Creek nation of Indians, together with the separate article thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary lay this resolution before the President of the United States.

Mr. Lloyd, of Massachusetts, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom was yesterday referred the message nominating Amos Binney, and others, to be Navy Agents, reported.

On motion,

Ordered, That the nominations therein contained lie on the table.

Mr. Lloyd, of Massachusetts, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom was yesterday referred the message nominating Robert Henley, and others, to be Captains in the Navy, reported. Whereupon,

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointments of Robert Henley, Stephen Cassin, James Renshaw, Thomas Brown, Charles C. B. Thompson, Alexander S. Wadsworth, George W. Rodgers, George C. Reed, and Henry E. Ballard, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

Mr. Lloyd, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom was yesterday referred the message nominating Lawrence Kearney, and others, to be Master Commandants, reported. Whereupon,

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointments of Lawrence Kearney, Foxall A. Parker, Edward R. McCall, Daniel Turner, David Conner, John Gallagher, and Thomas Holdup Stevens, agreeably to their nominations respectively, to take rank in the order in which they are arranged.

Mr. Lloyd, of Massachusetts, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom was referred, on the 28th of February, the message nominating George N. Hollins to be a Lieutenant in the Navy, reported. Whereupon,

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointment, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. Lloyd, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom was referred, on the 28th of February, the message nominating John M. Sullivan to be a Lieutenant in the Navy, reported. And,

On motion,

Ordered, That the said nomination lie on the table.

Mr. Lloyd, of Massachusetts, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom was referred, on the 28th of February, the message nominating Richard Smith, and others, to offices, reported. Whereupon,

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointments of Richard Smith, William Anderson, Levi Twiggs, John Harris, Andrew Ross, William A. Bloodgood, William T. Bourne, Benajah Ticknor, Mordecai Morgan, Thomas J. Boyd, John W. Peaco, William Birchmore, Benjamin F. Bache, Samuel Biddle, Charles B. Jaudon, Robert P. Macomber, De Witt Birch, Augustus A. Adey, John R. Chandler, Thomas Dillard, Augustin P. Beers, Richard Kennon, Garrett R. Barry, William P. Zantzinger, David M. F. Thornton, John M'Carty, and John W. Grier, agreeably to their nominations respectively; and

Resolved, That they do not advise and consent to the appointment of Jonathan W. Sherburne.

SIX O'CLOCK IN THE EVENING.

The Senate proceeded to consider the message of the 1st instant, withdrawing the nomination of Walter D. Addison, and nominating John Addison as Chaplain in the Navy; and

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointment of John Addison, agreeably to the nomination.

The following written message was received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Everett, his Secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Hugh Montgomery, to be Agent for the Cherokee Indians.
William M'Leilan, to be Agent for the Choctaws.

JAMES MONROE

WASHINGTON, March 3d, 1825.

The message was read, and considered by unanimous consent; and

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointments of Hugh Montgomery, and William M'Lellan, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

On motion,

The Senate resumed the consideration of the nomination of Richard K. Call, contained in the message of the 16th of February; and

Resolved, That they do advise and consent to the appointment, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion,

The Senate resumed the consideration of the nomination of William Henry Allen, contained in the message of the 28th of December; and

Resolved, That they do advise and consent to the appointment, agreeably to the nomination.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nominations of Albert J. Clagett, James W. M'Goffin, and Joseph W. Patterson, contained in the message of the 28th of February; and

Resolved, That they do advise and consent to the appointments of James W. M'Goffin, and Joseph W. Patterson, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

Ordered, That the nomination of Albert J. Clagett lie on the table.

Mr. Lloyd, of Maryland, from the Committee on the District of Columbia, to whom were referred, on the 28th of February, the nominations of Thomas Vowell, Christopher Neale, and William Minor, reported. Whereupon,

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointments of Thomas Vowell, Christopher Neale, and William Minor, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

Mr. Dickerson, from the Committee on Commerce and Manufactures, to whom were referred, on the 22d of February, the nominations of Thomas Savage, Josiah Hook, Alexander Wolcott, and Peter Saily, reported. Whereupon,

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointments of Thomas Savage, Josiah Hook, and Alexander Wolcott, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

Ordered, That the nomination of Peter Saily lie on the table.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nominations of Sylvester Gavit, John B. Barton, and William Cross, contained in the message of the 22d of February; and

Resolved, That they do advise and consent to the appointments, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

On motion,

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of George Izard, contained in the message of the 22d of February; and

Resolved, That they do advise and consent to the appointment, agreeably to the nomination.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of Daniel Granger, contained in the message of the 22d of February; and

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Dickerson, from the Committee on Commerce and Manufactures, to whom was referred the nomination of Russel Freeman, contained in the message of the 22d of February, reported. Whereupon,

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointment, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. Dickerson, from the Committee on Commerce and Manufactures, to whom was referred, on the 28th of February, the message nominating Nathaniel Holland, and others, to be Officers of the Customs, reported. Whereupon,

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointments of Nathaniel Holland, Robert Butler, Francis Hawks, Enoch Sawyer, James Holmes, John Barnes, Bathurst Dangerfield, John Randall, John Ferguson, Josiah L. Green, Denny M'Cobb, Joshua Prentiss, Ashbell W. Wolworth, William Emerson, John B. Barton, Lemuel Howell, Abraham Bishop, and Samuel Hoit, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

Mr. Barton, from the Committee on Public Lands, to whom was referred, on the 1st instant, the message nominating George W. Ward, and Moses Green, to offices, reported. Whereupon,

Ordered, That the said nominations lie on the table.

Mr. Barton, from the Committee on Public Lands, to whom were referred, on the 28th of February, the nominations of Beverly R. Grayson, Peyton S. Symmes, Joseph Wood, Jesse Spencer, and Isaac Van Horne, reported.

Whereupon,

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointments, agreeably to the nominations respectively.

Mr. Dickerson, from the Committee on Commerce and Manufactures, to whom was referred, on the 28th of February, the nominations of Copeland Parker, and John S. Tapscott, reported. Whereupon,

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointments, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

Mr. Cobb submitted the following resolution, which was considered and agreed to:

Resolved, That the injunction of secrecy be removed from the proceedings of the Senate upon the treaty, made in February, 1825, with the Creek Indians, at the Indian Springs; and from the documents relative thereto, communicated by the President of the United States, with said treaty.

On motion by Mr. Lloyd, of Massachusetts,

Ordered, That the Committee on Naval Affairs be discharged from the further consideration of the documents relating to the rank of Lieutenant Ebenezer Ridgeway, and that they be referred to the Secretary for the Department of the Navy.

The convention with the Republic of Colombia, of the 10th December, 1824, was read, and considered as in Committee of the Whole; and,

On motion,

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Benton, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred, on the 2d instant, the message nominating to promotions and appointments in the Army, reported. Whereupon,

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the promotions and appointments therein contained, agreeably to the nominations.